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- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (30 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (3 sheets, Figures 1A-3).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Assignment of the invention to KABUSHIKI KAISHA TOSHIBA.
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement.

- [X] Form PTO/SB/08 with copies of 3 listed reference(s).
- [X] Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).
- [X] Claim for Convention Priority with 1 certified Japanese priority document.

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